



PATENT APPLICATION

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 3683

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Hendrikus JAN KAPAAN et al.

Group Art Unit: 3683

Application No.: 09/937,776

Examiner:

R. Siconolfi

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Docket No.: 110748

For:

ACTUATOR HAVING COMPACT GEAR REDUCTION

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the September 25, 2003 Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.

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